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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE

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Please amend the above referenced application as follows:



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**NOTE:** Any increase in fees that may be required by amendments to the claims must be attended to in full in the attached papers or by general authorization to pay fees under 37 C.F.R. § 16, otherwise, the amendment will not be considered by the Examiner. MPEP § 714.16©, 7th ed.

**LETTER ACCOMPANYING AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE (37 C.F.R. § 1.312)**

1. Please make the amendments shown in the attached papers in this application in the:  
☐ abstract.  
☒ specification.  
☐ drawings.  
☐ claims.
2. Type of amendment:  
☒ Correction of formal matters  
As shown in the remarks of the attached paper, these (1) are needed for proper disclosure or protection of the invention and (2) require no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the PTO.  
☐ Other (affects the disclosure, the scope of any claim or adds a claim) (M.P.E.P. § 714.16, 7th Edition):  
☐ As shown in the remarks in the attached supplemental page(s), there is stated the reason (1) why the amendment is needed, (2) why the proposed amended or new claims require no additional search or examination, (3) why the claims are patentable, and (4) why they were not earlier presented.

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required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(b), for amendments filed after the date  
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